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IN A QUESTION SO VITAL AS VOTES FOR WOMEN BOTH SIDES SHOULD BE HEARD

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You will doubtless remember the publication of an article on this page the other day under the heading, "Why Women Should Not Get the Ballot," written by Dr. Francis Henry Ellwood, of London.

This article was a portion of a letter addressed to Miss Nettie Lovina White, after Dr. Ellwood had read a booklet of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt's on the suffrage subject.

It was sent me for publication, and I am to-day publishing Miss White's reply to the letter, which has been sent me by her.

The suffrage question is of so vital a nature to womanhood that we should give tolerance to all that has to be said in the matter by those who oppose it, as well as those who favor it. This belief on my part accounts for the publication of ideas presented by both sides, and where they bring out a clear and definite point.

Reply to Dr. Ellwood.

Here is the reply to Dr. Ellwood's letter:

"Dear Mr. Ellwood:
Your expressions on the political equality movement appear to be so in conflict with the facts that I trust I may be permitted to offer a different point of view."

"Beside the fundamental reason that women, half the people, are entitled to a voice in the management of the affairs of the world in which they live, and whose laws they must obey, the ballot is demanded for the very important help required in making the home better and safer for the children, as well as adults, through improved laws governing sanitation, pure food, water, atmosphere, clean streets, etc. Women are the housekeepers, and men often have neglected the public housekeeping, an oversight which brought devastation to machine politics. Because men and women differ in certain functions, aspirations, and ambitions, woman should be represented in legislation. Men cannot represent them, because of this very difference."

"This is said to be a man-made world. The large portion of this great task performed by women has not been regarded in history. Man has made all the laws!"

"Now it has come to pass through natural evolution, that women have cast aside the purdah, they are educated in physiology, able, industrious, and merit respect, justice, and admiration. And they, this other half of humanity, have become disinterested with their situation. What should be done? Should the right of petition by the people (as man-made law) be denied to women, half of the people? Should this demand for simple equality be met by caricature, ridicule, scorn, and untrue insinuations in an effort to force woman back into obscurity?"

"Without equal opportunity for progress, freedom of thought, and expression, woman is restricted in development, narrowed in mind and judgment, falling into the habit of indifference in self-protection against mental friction and irritating opposition. Through what a tragedy, overestimated, riotous brain, has she passed in making the power and determination to make the conditions of life better for all humanity!"

Does Not Produce Nobility.

"Always to be subordinate, does not produce nobility of character, but, instead, tends to incompetency in any undertaking. It creates timidity, lack of claim, with no power or desire for initiative—qualities necessary for usefulness in any field."

"The Oriental man is not permitted the care of her sons beyond five or six years. No child is born with a well-developed and lofty character; and no mother can endow a child with a character which she herself does not possess. A healthy mind must have a healthy body. Nobility can be gained in even a modified manner."

"Commercial man, without regard to woman's wish or welfare, has taken much of so-called woman's work from the home to the factory, and economic conditions have forced woman to follow that labor. Pale deals relentlessly with woman! To-day she occupies a great variety of remunerative positions which some years ago were thought to belong exclusively to man. To serve in any activity of life which can be successful, is carried forward is neither mainly nor unmanly, womanly nor unbecomingly, but human, and both man and woman have a right to select for themselves. However, the fact seems clearly established that man enticed woman from the home to the workshop."

"And all this must be accepted as in the line of evolution. No one can gain a knowledge of finances, in ever so small a degree, without a porrie to control."

Women of the past never had such a career; and to-day married women have no stated, dependable income for their services. It would appear that they have lived on the generosity of good men; but had men have more tried the endurance of woman. A purse is a potent aid in evolution.

"Only that home is ideal where loving consideration of equality governs. It is not a principle of justice, but rather the exercise of an overgrown habit of long standing when the attempt is made to deprive woman of the privilege of asserting and defending her ideals and convictions. In the declaration that the 'brave' and 'overestimated' woman soon produces a changed husband; that the home will be disrupted and immorality and divorce follow. No refuge can be taken behind such a screen! Man must be responsible for his own virtue!"

A Bit Strange.

"It seems a bit strange that man should arrogate to himself the privilege of selecting for woman her duties, becoming positions, and winning devotion in life—to the point of generous self-neglect, as some times appears. Also, an unsophisticated overver might expect that, with the start man has given himself, he might be most chivalrous in allowing woman to 'catch up'."

"All through time, as a matter of fact, woman has been permitted but one occupation—which she must always deny—that of enthralling and capturing a husband in order to provide for herself food and shelter. Fortunately for those whose nature has been favored in equipment, this achievement has been less arduous. Could ideal marriage be a dependence under such conditions of chance! And how important is a joyous existence to her who transmits inheritance to posterity! Contemplating the conditions of the past, so far removed from the ideal, is it a wonder that so many abnormal sinners are abroad?"

"If the standard of excellence for humanity is perfection of form, there is little hope for the man with drooping shoulders and bandy legs, and the woman with a 'flat chest.' Woman's admiration for manly physique is quite as sensitive as for chivalry of character."

"Admitting that the object of life is development, all radical, permanent changes must be accepted as in the process of human growth, and for the general welfare of humanity, whether individuals have the flexibility of temperament to readjust or prefer to resent and serve as a stumbling block."

"The distinctive qualities of womanhood, like the distinctive qualities of manhood, can never be changed, because they were ordained in the beginning for a wise and happy purpose. Take this to your heart as a dependable comfort. 'All statistics compiled by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, permit me to state, are entirely correct. Mrs. Catt, a mother, twice married, is a college woman and a graduate in law. Both marriages were very happy. Mr. Catt at his death left Mrs. Catt a fortune, after a bequest to his alma mater of \$75,000.'"

Embroidery.

Embroideries are increasing in popularity, and they will be greater favorites this spring than ever. The tendency to return to trimmed skirts in all fabrics, and especially in foot trimmings and three-tier effects, is one reason for the decided popularity. Colored embroidery bands and all-overs are expected to reach a great vogue."

"It is of the cut-work order, resembling, in an enlarged way, Carrickmacross lace, and also giving an effect similar to that of real Venetian lace. It will be much used for lapels or revers on coats for spring, as well as for top hat trimming or gown garniture. All-over embroidery have been very popular for several seasons, but now women for them have evolved from fashions in garments made of other fabrics. Colored effects will be used almost as much as white."

Cream of Celery Soup.

Use the leaves and tough part of the celery for soup. Wash carefully and boil a half hour in the fricassee cooker kettle, then place it in the cooker overnight. In the morning strain and put away in sterilized jars to be ready for use. Mix equal parts of celery stock and white sauce and serve very hot.

Creamed Onions.

Peel, wash, and boil until tender a quart of medium-sized onions. When done, drain off the water and put in enough milk to almost cover them, season with salt and pepper, mix one-half a tablespoonful of flour with a lump of butter the size of an egg, stir this into the onions, when the milk boils and boil a few minutes.

HAND-EMBROIDERED BLOUSE



A charming suggestion for the clever needlewoman. This most attractive blouse is embroidered in a simple but effective design and the band of lace or embroidered insertion is used most effectively, and the little trills on sleeves are decidedly chic. If the pulpit is not becoming the blouse may be worn under one's shirt with equally good results.

GOOD RECIPES THAT OTHER WOMEN HAVE PASSED ALONG

Editor's Note.—This department is open to everybody. Any recipe that you have tried and found good will be gratefully received and published for the benefit of other housekeepers. Write only on one side of the paper when copying recipes.

Homemade Macaroons.

Beat the whites of three eggs stiff, with a heaping cup of powdered sugar and a half pound of almond paste, chopped fine. If not stiff enough to handle add more powdered sugar. Make, with the fingers, into balls the size of a large hickory nut, and lay them on waxed paper far enough apart to keep them from running into one another when they melt and spread. Lay the paper in pans before putting the macaroons on it. Bake in a moderate oven to a delicate brown, take from the oven and do not touch the cakes until they are entirely cold. They are brittle while warm. Remove them from the paper after they cool and keep them in the box. They are better the second or third day than the first.

Gluten Bread.

Mix a pint of boiling water with a pint of milk and add a teaspoonful each of butter and salt. Let it stand ten minutes, then stir in one-fourth of a yeast cake dissolved in a half cupful of warm milk, one well-beaten egg, and enough gluten flour to make a good batter. Beat hard ten minutes and leave it to rise, covered, for four hours. Add enough gluten flour to make a dough and knead twenty minutes. Make into loaves, set to rise and bake.

HOW TO GIVE A SHEEN TO HAIR.

Hagerly the eyes of a woman will scan the pages of papers and magazines for the thousand and one little helps, especially those that are for beautifying the complexion or hair, or to remedy some physical defect. It sounds very good, and so it is, but when one monthly calculates the price of the much desired, it is with a sigh that the article is cast aside.

There is nothing more beautiful than a woman's hair. It fulfills a mission when ugly features are beyond repair, for angularity and sharpness is softened with a delicate frame of beautiful hair around one's face.

It is not possible to change the color without injurious results, and nature provides the shade of hair which best suits your complexion. But when it is dead looking, dusty appearing, broken, not properly arranged, it destroys the best appearance in the world.

Let the hair be ever so tawdry, broken, or dull of appearance this preparation will increase its growth, impart a beautiful sheen and change its dull, dead appearance. Boil a double handful of salt and sulphur in one quart of water. Use last page. Strain it into a large bottle, add as much quinine as you can hold on the end of a knife blade, and put into the mixture 5 cents' worth of bay rum and 5 cents' worth of witch hazel. Apply it to the scalp with a medicine dropper. If the scalp is dry use a very little vaseline on the hair. The liquid will 'out' the grease. This is good.

The Best Embroidery Designs.

The handy woman with the needle will find the exclusive embroidery designs in the magazine section of The Washington Herald simple and effective. The plans sent in to-morrow's issue is particularly pleasing. Anyone can transfer it.

Light and bake in a steady oven.

This bread is free from starch.

Spanish Salad.

Fresh tomatoes, cucumbers, Spanish peppers, a Spanish onion, and apples, peeled and sliced fine. Arrange in a salad bowl, cover with a dressing that must contain a suggestion of curry powder, and a small amount of chives, parsley, shallots, and garlic, in addition to the usual quantities of oil, vinegar, mustard, pepper and salt.

Celery and Grapefruit Salad.

Chop enough celery to measure one teaspoon, peel and chop one medium sized grapefruit and put on ice until ready to use. Beat the yolks of four eggs, add one teaspoon of diluted vinegar, and cook in a double boiler until thick and smooth. Season with one-half of a teaspoon salt, one teaspoon sugar, and a dash of pepper. When cool add one teaspoon of whipped cream, pour over the grapefruit and celery, and serve.

Soft Honey Cake.

One cup of butter, two cups of honey, two eggs, one cup of sour milk, two teaspoons soda, one teaspoon of ground ginger, one teaspoon of cinnamon, four cups of flour. Mix and bake.

EMBROIDERED HEAD REST.

A pretty head rest for grandmother's rocking chair is made of one-half a yard of Alice blue linen, three-fourths of a yard of blue and white cotton fringe, two yards of blue ribbon and a roll of cotton wadding. Double the linen lengthwise and cut the lower edge in a semi-circular line. The upper edge must be cut in a slightly curved line to form a piece resembling a dress shield. Turn in the edges all around the width of a seam and baste the fringe round the longest edge. Lay both these together and stitch, letting the tape on the fringe be concealed by the overlapping linen, then stuff the rest with cotton, layer upon layer, kept perfectly smooth and curved to fit the shape of the linen.

When it is quite full, close the top edges and whip over and cover with a fine stitch. Attach small bows of ribbon to each end and tie to the back of the chair.

If you wish to decorate the head rest, one side can be embroidered in a conventional design, using dark blue and bronze-colored wash silk on mercerized cottons. Lavender blossoms sprinkled thickly in the layers of cotton lend a delicate and soothing perfume to the rest. When made up in lavender-colored linen it is especially attractive.

Concerning Sachets.

What shall be done with a number of sachets of different odors is the proposition which often confronts the popular woman who frequently receives sachets as little gifts.

She is lucky if her friends know her favorite scent (every fastidious woman likes to keep one kind), but usually they do not, and she is embarrassed by a confusion of odors. In a large family, or among an intimate circle, it is sometimes possible to exchange the fragrant offerings, so that one member has all the lavender sachets, another all the heliotrope, and so on.

LACES TO BE MUCH USED THIS SUMMER

Fillet Lace and Hand Embroidery
Pretty Combination.

Judging from the present indications the coming summer is to be a season of laces. Even the new bordered materials have a lace-like design in place of the floral ones of last year, while all of the imported models show trimmings of various kinds of lace on both blouses and gowns.

Fillet lace of the handseamer sorts is much used upon the lingerie frocks in combination with hand embroidery, and seems indeed to have superseded Irish lace upon the handseamer type of model, though one cannot tell what the later season may bring forth.

Macramé lace has a definite vogue and there are wonderfully beautiful French laces of cobwebby fineness and of daring contours.

The lace blouse is likely to be considerably used on summer frocks; usually a flat front blouse, to be sure, but still a blouse, and already one sees many hand-sewn lingerie models and other sheer models whose skirts show three-section or three-flounce arrangements in front, while straight breadths or a veiling tunic falls on the sides and back.

Often the lowest and uppermost flounces are of the material, while the deep central flounce is of lace, and frequently a little movement is secured without really marring the flatness of effect by having the flounce curve up slightly in the middle and downward at the sides.

A large number of the new models have skirts fullied into the waistband, but they are almost invariably well weighted and held in at the bottom so that they have a scant effect, in spite of the fullness.

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Extraordinary Values at \$1.95

Charming new styles for spring—consisting of Messaline, Taffeta, and Jap Silk Waists, in many handsome designs to select from. Pretty kimono waists, tucked all over, and with lace yokes finished with medallions; other styles with lace yokes and embroidered panels.

All the smartest ideas—among them black and white striped Messaline, with side plaitings and large revers, finished with buttons, also plain tailored waists of taffeta and messaline silks, tucked all over, and finished with black and white Jap silks with pocket, soft collar and cuffs. Sizes 34 to 44 in the lot. Values actually worth \$2.00 and \$3.00, for \$1.95 each.

Girls' New Wash Dresses
Extra Values at 50c and 98c

These low prices for Children's Wash Dresses should convince you of the folly of making them up at home. The styles are practical and the materials exceptionally good. Mothers cannot fail to recognize the economy of supplying their girls' needs here to-day.

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